

JUSS GLOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Nancy Wynne Tells of the Debutante Parties for Tonight. Mr. Walter George Smith to Talk at the Stotesbury Home This Evening—Other Bits of Chat

AFTER a tea-less week we will start in again today, for Viola Beale Homer, who is spending the winter with her aunt, Miss Constance Beale, will be introduced.

Hope Beale Cromwell and Nannie Lucia Beale, co-wives of the late John Beale, will receive with her, and Sarah Harrison, Margaret Dallett and Evelyn Smith will be the debutantes in the party.

Viola's mother is a Miss Beale. Her father is Henry Homer.

ANOTHER debutante affair today is the dinner-dance which the William Goodman, Jr. will give at the Bellevue-Stratford for their nieces, Mary Ernestine Appleton and Mary Trotter Goodman. You know the two Marys as the daughters of the late George H. Goodman.

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ter of Mrs. Darlington, of Harrisburg, who is spending the week-end with Miss Rene Ward. The guests will attend the dance at the Merion Cricket Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Converse, and their infant daughter, of Louisville, Ky., arrived this week to spend Christmas and New Year's with Mrs. Converse's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Austin, of Liester Hall, Rosemont, Mrs. Austin, who has been operated on for appendicitis, is convalescing and has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Potter, of Angleock, Evergreen and Prospect avenues, Chestnut Hill, are spending several days in New York.

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MISS SUE BOWES Daughter of Dr. and Mrs. T. John Bowes, of Bala, who will be married today in Detroit to Mr. Park Washburn Stickney, former major in the United States army

Mr. Sal Dreyfus, of 1709 North Nineteenth street, will take place on Tuesday evening, December 30, at 6 o'clock, in the Hotel Adelphi. Miss Einfeld has selected Miss Rosalind Lowenstein for maid of honor, and for bridesmaid, Miss Carrie Adler, Miss Gertrude Prinz, Miss Matilda Wintner and Miss Sid Wintner. Mr. Dreyfus will have his brother, Mr. Milton Dreyfus, as best man, and his ushers will include Mr. Albert Dreyfus, also a brother; Mr. William Sandberg and Mr. Samuel Bank. The ceremony will be followed by a dinner.

Among the guests at the house party to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Higgate, of Whitetarn, over the Christmas holidays will be Mr. and Mrs. William H. Saurer, Miss Virginia Saurer, Miss Florence Saurer, Mr. William Richter and Mr. Allen Saurer. A dinner and dance will be included in the entertainments arranged.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd A. Van Dusen, who returned from their wedding trip, will be at home in Altoona, Pa. The bride was Miss Mary C. Shott, of 2127 North Thirtieth street. Mr. Van Dusen was a corporal in the Tenth Regiment, Troop, Seventy-eighth Division, and served a year overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul S. Snyder, who have returned from their wedding trip, are at home at 2548 North Twenty-third street. The bride was Miss Elizabeth Miller. Mr. Snyder was formerly member of Reading.

FALLS OF SCHUYLKILL The Young Men's Association began last evening a series of basketball games to be followed by a social hour at the clubhouse, 3548 Queen lane. They will be given each week on Tuesday and Friday evenings, from 8 to 10 o'clock. The games will be in charge of Mrs. Robert L. Boardman, Mr. Thomas Wilcox, Mr. H. B. Cole, Mr. John Whitaker, Mr. Joshua Whitaker, Mr. William Ferguson, Mr. John B. Groves, Mr. Benjamin Mitchell, Mr. Edward Jones, Mr. Philip Campbell, Mr. John Porter, Mr. John Stinson, Mr. Henry Welch, Mr. Herbert Russell, Mr. John Mackay and Mr. William J. Beaman.

WISSAHICKON Miss Rebecca Keenan, of 320 Samar street, entertained the members of the Westminster Guild last evening at her home, when her guests included Miss Clara Springer, Miss Helen Thomas, Miss Dorothy Thomas, Miss Elizabeth Batty, Miss Mary Kennedy, Miss Margaret Pratt, Miss Kathryn Stevenson, Miss Marian Lyle, Miss Elizabeth Hynd, Miss Marie Schilling and Mrs. J. H. Miller. The guild will distribute baskets of Christmas cheer to the needy of the section and have secured a Christmas tree which the members are to decorate.

WEST PHILADELPHIA Mr. and Mrs. Frank Munn Walker, of 4843 Walnut street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Frank Munn Walker, Jr. Mr. Walker will be remembered as Miss Dorothy Sinclair, of Kingscourt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Smith, of 1830 Gladstone street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Clifton B. Smith.

Mr. Alphonse B. Miller, of 404 South Forty-second street, gave a bridge of six tables on Thursday afternoon for the following guests: Mrs. Aaron Miller, Mrs. Morris Bernstein, Mrs. Edna Miller, Mrs. Jack Ginsberg, Mrs. M. K. Kelly, Mrs. Harry U. Ginsberg, Mrs. Simon Garcia, Mrs. Jack Rothchild, Mrs. John Sieberg, Mrs. M. A. Block, Mrs. H. Schloss, Mrs. Stanley W. Miller, Mrs. A. Strauss, Mrs. Marc J. Katzenberg, Mrs. Roy Heymann, Mrs. Walter Summerfield, Mrs. Sidney Feldstein, Mrs. Eugene Cook, Mrs. William D. Dixon, Mrs. Charles Edwin Fox, Mrs. William W. Miller, Miss May Boehm, Mrs. Charles Miller, Mrs. Rosemond R. Greenwald and Mrs. I. Becker.

KENSINGTON Miss Helen Gormons, of East Girard avenue and Front street, is spending several weeks in Boston visiting Miss Ethel Bricker.

Mrs. Charles Williams, of 1114 Shackamaxon street, will spend the Christmas holidays in Pittsburgh with her family.

Miss Gertrude Koller, of East Allegheny avenue and G street, is entertaining as her guest over the holidays Miss Agnes Pollard, of Reading.

A concert and dance of the Kensington Association, of 68 of the American Legion will be given on Monday, January 10, at the Masonic Auditorium, 1814-1816 Broad street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Einwechter, of 1054 Shackamaxon street, and Mrs. Joseph Jones, of 1125 East Eyre street, are spending several weeks at Willard Hall, Wildwood.

STRAWBERRY MANSION Mr. and Mrs. L. Geltzer, of 8223 Oxford street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Reba Geulzer, to Mr. Albert Liscovits, of 3180 Euclid avenue.

Fraternity Sorority Dance The fifth annual Philadelphia Fraternity Sorority dance will be held Saturday evening at Mercantile Hall. The committee is composed of Miss Elsie Keelle, Sigma Alpha Pi; Mrs. A. Hackman, Miss Margaret M. Weir, Phi Alpha; Miss Elsie Schurelle, Beta Kappa; Miss Helen Chatham, Miss Emma C. P. Della Pa; Miss Dorothy McGill, Miss Frances Sowa Mackle, Beta Alpha Beta; Miss Agnes Sloan, Phi Sigma Alpha; Miss Edwin L. Struse, Phi Mu Kappa; Mr. William M. Manning, Sigma Tau; Mrs. A. Abbot Gibson, Sigma Kappa.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Boothroyd, of 5408 North Front street, are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter, Eleanor Marie.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Leah M. Hess, of 3244 Kensington street, and Mr. Thomas C. Steele, on December 17.

ROLLING STOCK

By FANNIE HURST

Did you enjoy reading White goods? This is the first instalment of another series, just as absorbing and just as real, which is also written in six chapters. Fanny Hurst knows human nature, and these stories prove her ability to write about it.

CHAPTER I

IN THE great human democracy, revolution cannot unroll the builder of bridges to place upon his throne the builder of pantries. Gray matter and blue blood and white pigment are not dynasties of man's making, and the accident of birth and not primogeniture makes the ruler of the world. Rats are more often born than made.

That is why, in this dynasty not of man's making, weavers go blind to the intricacies of their queen's coronation, can kneel at her hem to kiss the cloth of gold that cursed them. A woman, one, on a poet with no thought to bar his black beard and bottle for a single gossamer fancy. Backstair always vie with each other in the matter of might. And this is the story of Millie Moores, who, with no anarchy in her heart and no feud with the human democracy, could design for women to whom befall the wind and pearl dog-collars, and then frocks as sheer as web, and on her knees beside them, her mouth full of pins and her sole necklace a tape measure, thrill them as they garbed in the glory of her labor.

Indeed, when the iridescent bubble of reputation floated out from her modest little flower when life brought her to third street, Millie Moores, whom youth has rushed past, because she had no leisure for it, felt her heart open like a grateful flower when life brought her to a next-year's-model limousine drape up outside her small doorway, with the colored fashion sheet stuck in the glass pane, and the motor chugging away, and one spring day three of them in shining procession along her curb something cheaped in Millie Moores' heart and she doubled her prices.

And then because ladies' love of purse and short of breath found the three dark flirts difficult, and because the first small fruit of success burst in Millie Moores' mouth, she refused to taste of wine, she withdrew her three-figure savings account from the Manhattan Trust Company, rented an elevator, and she, unobtrusively established her own middle Broadway, secured the managerial services of a slender young girl fresh from the Louis Quinze rooms of Madam T. T. and she, with her own hands, tripled her prices and emerged from the brown cocoon of Twenty-third street, Madam Moores, Modiste.

Two years later, three perfect thirty-six silks surrounded the mauve display rooms, tempting those who waddle with sleeveless frocks that might have been designed for the Venus of Milo and doubled her prices.

The presiding young man, slim and full of the small ways that ingratiate, and with a pomaded glory of low hair rippling behind in a double wave, the woman's fingers itched to caress and men's hands itched to thrust, pushed forward the mauve velvet chairs with a waiter's servility, but none of his to clip my wings.

Her laughter was short and with a blunt edge. "What's the spring gets on my nerves, I guess. Blow me to a table d'hot tonight, Phonzie. I got a red ink thirst on me and I'm as blue as indigo."

"Hang around, Gert, and if I'm not on duty."

"Honest, you're the greatest kid to squirm when you think a girl is going to pin you down. You let me get about your neck, and I'll be a good girl with you and then you put up the barbed wire."

"Yes, I do not!"

"Fine chance I've got of ever pinning you down! You care about as much for me as a ragdoll, else does, and that ain't saying much."

"Aw, Gert, you got the dumps—"

"Look at her over there, I can see her by her profile like a hanging around to bat you your dinner tonight. What's you but she springs the appointment-book year on you and you fall for it?"

"A laugh fitted beneath Mr. Michelson's blond hedge of mustache. "Aw, I know it, I did get such hypo-tizing, mesmerizing ways!"

"She smiled beneath her rouge and wailed, "No darling," she said.

"Gert, she's a real beauty, and she regarded them from beside her pile of sheepy silks and her fingers would pluck nervously at the fabrics."

"Hurry up over there, Phonzie! I told you the black lace was on the way."

Miss Dobriner dabbed at her red lips with a lace frilly of handkerchief, but her eyes were fixed on Gert. "Don't let her pin you, Phonzie. Have a heart and take me to supper when I'm blue as indigo."

"He leaned to impale a pin upon his lip. "She's so white to me, Gert, how can I squirm if she asks me to go over an appointment-book with her tonight?"

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"You're in a nice old boy, Phonzie, and I like the kink in your hair, but—some time when I get blue, like to tonight, I—I just wish I had never clasped eyes on you."

"How she hates me."

"I wish to God I did."

"That's the trouble; I been cutting it off for the most comely all my life."

"You, the biggest little fier in the block!"

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